# SHEFFIELD CITY COUNCIL

## **Licensing Sub-Committee**

### Meeting held 2 March 2017

PRESENT: Councillors David Barker (Chair), Andy Bainbridge and Josie Paszek

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#### 1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

1.1 There were no apologies for absence.

#### 2. EXCLUSION OF PUBLIC AND PRESS

2.1 RESOLVED: That the public and press be excluded from the meeting before discussion takes place on item 4 on the grounds that, if the public and press were present during the transaction of such business, there would be a disclosure to them of exempt information as described in paragraphs 1 and 2 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972, as amended.

#### 3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

3.1 There were no declarations of interest.

#### 4. HACKNEY CARRIAGE AND PRIVATE HIRE LICENSING - INDIVIDUAL CASES

- 4.1 The Chief Licensing Officer submitted details in respect of four cases relating to hackney carriage and private hire licensing.
- 4.2 The applicant in Case No. 26/17 attended the hearing with a representative and they both addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 4.3 The applicant in Case No. 27/17 attended the hearing and addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 4.4 The applicant in Case No. 28/17 attended the hearing with a family member and a representative and they all addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 4.5 The applicant in Case No. 29/17 attended the hearing with a representative and they both addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 4.6 RESOLVED: That the cases now submitted be determined as follows:-

Case No.	<u>Licence Type</u>	<u>Decision</u>
26/17	Application to renew a Private Hire Vehicle Licence (Exemptions from Licensing	Grant a licence for 12 months as requested as the applicant had demonstrated evidence to warrant a

	Conditions)	departure from the policy.
27/17	Application to renew a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence	Defer a decision on the application until the outcome of the Court case is known. If the applicant is found not guilty, the Chief Licensing Officer be authorised to grant the application.
28/17	Application for a first Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence	Grant a licence for the period of three years as requested.
29/17	Application for a first Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence	Grant a licence for the period of three years as requested.